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PRIVY COUNCIL - CONSEIL PRIVÉ

P.C. 2005-1688

September 29, 2005

Whereas the Minister of Transport has consulted with the board of directors of Ridley Terminals Inc. with respect to the content and effect of this directive;

Therefore, Her Excellency the Governor General in Council, being of the opinion that it is in the public interest, on the recommendation of the Minister of Transport, pursuant to section 89 of the *Financial Administration Act*, hereby directs Ridley Terminals Inc. to refrain from entering into any long-term contract or licence agreement or from granting any long-term option or any right or privilege capable of becoming a long-term contract, licence or option, for the handling of any commodities at or through Ridley Terminals Inc.'s terminal facilities situated on Ridley Island, British Columbia, without the prior written consent of the Minister of Transport or the duly authorized delegate of that Minister.

For the purposes of this directive, the expression "long-term" means a period longer than eighteen months.

This directive shall be in effect until the Cabinet considers the future of Ridley Terminals Inc.

CERTIFIED TO BE A TRUE COPY-COPIE CERTIFIÉE CONFORMÉ

CLERK OF THE PRIVY COUNCIL-LE GREFFIER DU CONSEIL PRIVÉ